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And We are Doing a Little
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harbor dredging flotilla.

"On the night of June 22-23 a fight
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torpedo boats and the Japanese tor-
pedo boats in which Captain Blisoff
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wounded.

"At 2 o'clock in the afternoon our
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borers had been detailed to remove
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nearly a mile long and conveys water
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tion. Next to Grover Cleveland he
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When asked if his own resolution
not to be a candidate had been
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aware delegation in his favor and the
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"I have repeatedly stated I was not
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EXPLOSION ON A WARSHIP.

Fifteen Men Killed on Board a French
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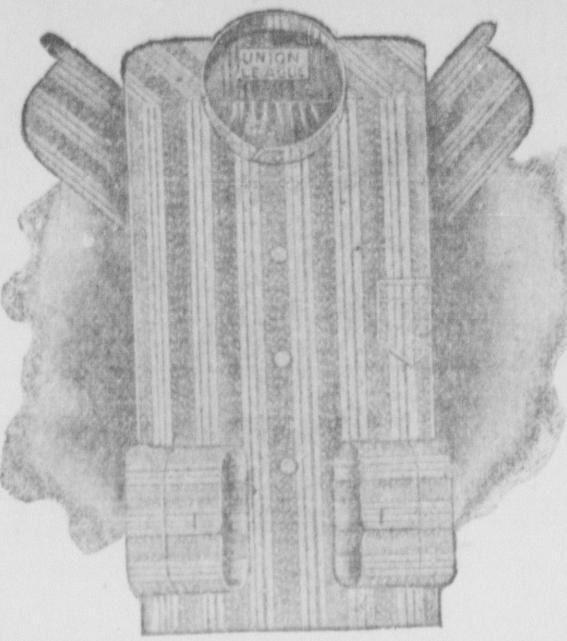
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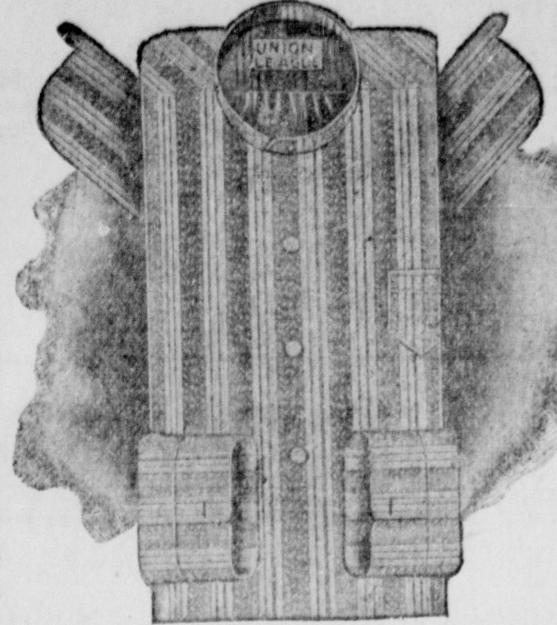
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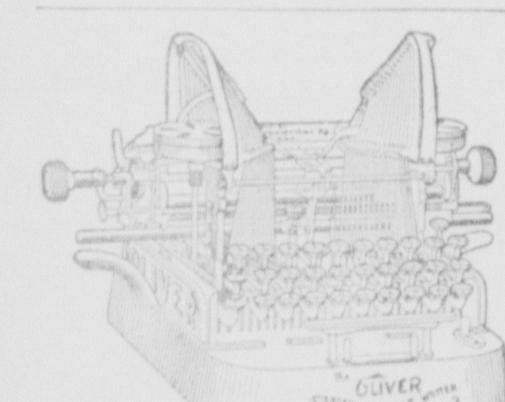
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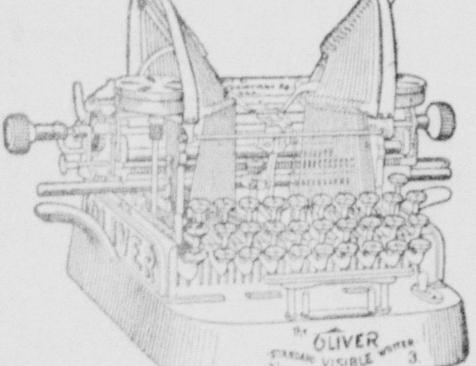
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New York, June 28.—The coroner's jury investigating the General Slocum disaster was taken to the hulk of the burned steamer at Erie basin Monday and after an inspection of the wreck and the examination of several witnesses proceeded in patrol boat over the route followed by the steamer on the day of the ill-fated excursion.

Commander Winslow of the navy, who, with General Wilson of the army, was appointed to make federal inquiry into the disaster, was on board the Slocum when the coroner and his party arrived. Commander Winslow compiled a description of the Slocum's interior as he found it. On board the Slocum, Coroner Berry led the way to the forward hatchway, a blackened opening in the midst of a pile of rotting life preservers, tangled iron and half-burned barrels.

Terrance McManus, counsel for the Knickerbocker Steamboat company, was asked by the coroner if he would concede that that was the spot where the fire was first discovered, but declined, and Edwin Brandow, the assistant engineer, answered the question affirmatively.

Former Fire Marshal Thomas F. Freed said that he had examined the hold of the vessel on the day it was raised and found that the fire started in one of the barrels, as it was burned from the bottom and from inside, and not on the outside.

The inquest will probably be completed today.

GENERAL MILES RETICENT.

Has Not Said He Would Accept Prohibition Nomination.

Indianapolis, June 28.—The national Prohibitionist convention will open here today. H. B. Metcalf of Rhode Island said that when a party of Prohibitionists, of which he was one, called on General Miles in April, the general was evasive and wished the convention postponed until after the Democratic convention. This, he stated, had been his policy since that time. Metcalf said that in his opinion the nominee should make a definite statement of his position and unless General Miles made one they would vote him.

Though it is said that General Miles has signified that he will accept the nomination if it be given him, when the letters are produced they show that this is only an inference, and the general up to this time has not committed himself.

PASSENGER TRAIN WRECKED.

Two Men Injured and Many Others Badly Shaken Up.

Billings, Mont., June 28.—Passenger Train No. 41 on the Burlington and Missouri River railroad was wrecked this side of Newcastle, Wyo., Monday, crashing in an open switch and colliding with a train of stock cars on the siding.